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RESPONSE

This is a response to the Patent Office communication mailed March 19, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed.

(Please see following pages.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on March 27, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.52, 1.53 and/or 1.62, this application was filed without at least one of the filing fee, the English language text and/or the oath or declaration, and was granted the serial number and filing date set forth in the caption of this response. Accordingly, the items listed below are being submitted herewith:

- [X] Copy of PTO communication mailed March 19, 2001.
- [X] Declaration or Oath
 - [] Attached to the Declaration or Oath is a copy of the specification which was filed in the Patent Office in order to obtain a filing date for this application.
- [] Verified English translation of originally-filed foreign language text.
- [] Statement(s) re small entity (37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27):
 - [] submitted previously
 - [] Statement(s) submitted herewith
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- [] Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on ________ Application No. , filed .
 - [] A certified copy of the priority application is enclosed.
- [X] The filing fee is as follows:
 - [] Design Application [] \$320.00 (large entity)
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Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- · The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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